

revision of land-revenue assessments, and with this object to amend the Bombay Land-revenue Code, 1879; It is enacted as follows :—

Bom. V of  
1879.

[NOTE.—The amendments made by this Act are incorporated in Bom. Act V of 1879, *supra*, pp. 631 to 704.]

## BOMBAY ACT No. V OF 1886.<sup>1</sup>

[28th January, 1887.]

### An Act to amend Bombay Act III of 1874.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bombay Hereditary Offices Act, 1874, in manner hereinafter appearing ; It is enacted as follows :—

Bom. III of  
1874.

Amendment  
of section 5.

1. For section 5 of the said Act the following section shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 523.]

Female  
members  
to be  
postponed.

2. Every female member of a wátán family other than the widow of the last male owner, and every person claiming through a female, shall be postponed in the order of succession to any wátán, or part thereof, or interest therein, devolving by inheritance after the date when this Act comes into force to every male member of the family qualified to inherit such wátán, or part thereof, or interest therein.

Widow's  
interest.

The interest of a widow in any wátán or part thereof shall be for the term of her life or until her marriage only.

Amend-  
ment of  
section 10.

3. In section 10 of the said Act the words "or may pass" shall be inserted after the words "or have so passed."

New section  
added after  
section 11.

4. [*Repeal of portion of section 11.*] *Rep. Act XVI of 1895.*

5. After section 11 of the said Act the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

[*Supra*, p. 526.]

Amend-  
ment of sec-  
tion 30.

6. In section 30 of the said Act the word "officiators" shall be substituted for the word "sharers."

Amend-  
ment of  
section 35.

7. In section 35 of the said Act the words "notice or" shall be inserted after the word "which."

<sup>1</sup> For the Statement of Objects and Reasons, *see* Bombay Government Gazette, 1885, Pt. V, p. 5, and *ibid.*, 1886, p. 165; for Report of the Select Committee, *see ibid.*, p. 31; and for Proceedings in Council, *see ibid.*, p. 26, and *ibid.*, 1886, pp. 94 and 178.

As to the local repeal and amendment of Bom. Act 5 of 1886, *see* the Mátádars Act, 1887 (Bom. Act 6 of 1887), s. 3, *infra*, p. 936.

(Secs. 8-16.)

8. For section 38 of the said Act the following section shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 532.]Amend-  
ment of sec-  
tion 38.

9. For section 45 of the said Act the following section shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 534.]Amendment  
of section 45.

10. For section 46 of the said Act the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 534.]New section  
substituted  
for section  
46.

11. In section 50 of the said Act, the word "general" shall be substituted for the word "known".

Amendment  
of section 50.

12. For section 53 of the said Act the following section shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 536.]New section  
substituted  
for section  
53.

13. For section 60 of the same Act the following section shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 537.]New section  
substituted  
for section  
60.

14. For section 70 of the said Act the following section shall be substituted (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 540.]New section  
substituted  
for section  
70.

15. (1) In section 84 of the said Act the following words shall be inserted after the word "purpose", viz.—

Amendment  
of section 84.[*Supra*, p. 543.]

(2) And the following paragraph shall be added to the said section, viz.—

[*Supra*, p. 543.]

16. The following schedule shall be added to the said Act (namely) :—

[*Supra*, p. 544.]Addition of a  
new schedule.